

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY AT

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

March 8, 2001

IN RE:)	
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BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.)	DOCKET NO.
TARIFF FILING FOR CONTRACT SERVICE)	00-00946
ARRANGEMENT TN00-7176-00)	

**ORDER RE-SUSPENDING TARIFF
FOR SIXTY (60) DAYS**

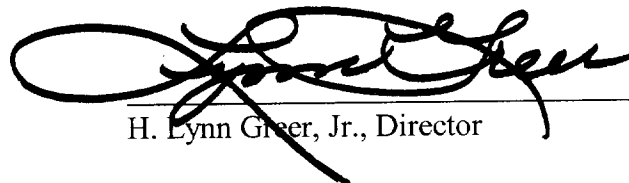
This matter came before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on February 6, 2001 for consideration of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") Tariff No. 00-00946. BellSouth filed Tariff No. 00-00946 on October 23, 2000 with an effective date of November 22, 2000.

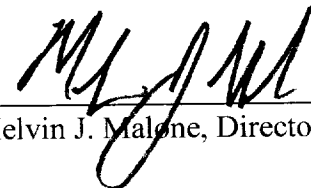
The Authority first suspended the tariff for thirty (30) days through December 21, 2000 at the November 21, 2000 Authority Conference. During Authority Conferences held on December 19, 2000 and January 9, 2001, the tariff was re-suspended each time for an additional thirty (30) days to run consecutively beginning December 22, 2000. At the February 6, 2001 Authority Conference, the Directors voted unanimously to re-suspend BellSouth's Tariff No. 00-00946 for an additional sixty (60) days, from February 20, 2001 through April 21, 2001.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:


BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Tariff No. 00-00946 is re-suspended for sixty (60) days from February 20, 2001 through April 21, 2001.


Sara Kyle, Chairman


H. Lynn Greer, Jr., Director


Melvin J. Malone, Director

ATTEST:


K. David Waddell, Executive Secretary